



# County of Santa Cruz

## HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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### **RATES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2008**

#### **BASIC FOSTER CARE RATES**

0-4	\$446
5-8	\$485
9-11	\$519
12-14	\$573
15-19	\$627

#### **MAXIMUM SPECIAL NEEDS**

Level I	\$378
Level II	\$689
Level III	\$975

#### **SPECIAL INFANT NEEDS 0-24 MONTHS**

Level I	\$282
Level II	\$454
Level III	\$680

#### **INFANT SUPPLEMENT (MINOR MOTHER AND CHILD IN PLACEMENT TOGETHER)**

Group Home	\$890
Foster Family Agency (FFA), Relatives, NREFM's, & Licensed Foster Homes	\$411

#### **CLOTHING ALLOWANCES**

<b>Annual</b> (Only Kids placed in Santa Cruz County) – All Ages	\$147
<b>Initial</b>	
Ages 0-5	\$153
Ages 6-19	\$233

**Supplemental Clothing Allowance – All Ages, No Group Homes \$100**

**NOTE:** Children placed outside of the county receive a clothing allowance rate of the county in which they reside.

#### **EMERGENCY SHELTER CONTRACT HOMES**

Ages	0 -12	\$416
Ages	13 +	\$520